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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: CPRS, ETRD, EEW, RO  
SUBJ: MFN EXTENSION AND THE TUDOR CLAIM  
REF: STATE 135538

IN MEETING WITH OPREA MAY 30, AMBASSADOR RAISED ISSUE OF LACK OF GOR RESPONSE TO OUR NOTES CONCERNING THE JOHN TUDOR CLAIM. AMBASSADOR PLACED ISSUE IN CONTEXT OF PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION ON TRADE AGREEMENT RENEWAL AND MFN EXTENSION AND FUTURE CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS, POINTING OUT PARTICULARLY CONGRESSMAN VANIK'S CONCERN THAT INFLUENTIAL MEMBERS OF CONGRESS MIGHT WELL RAISE THE TUDOR CLAIM IN THOSE HEARINGS. OPREA SAID THAT HE PERSONALLY WOULD CONTACT APPROPRIATE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICERS. AMBASSADOR BOGDAN, WHO WAS PRESENT IN AMBASSADOR-OPREA MEETING, SAID THAT HE HAD IMPRESSION THAT FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAD ALREADY REPLIED TO EMBASSY'S NOTE VERBALE OF APRIL 27. AMBASSADOR REMARKED THAT EMBASSY HAD SPOKEN BY TELEPHONE WITH BADESCU, DIRECTOR CONSULAR AFFAIRS MFA EARLIER ON MAY 30, THAT A RESPONSE TO OUR NOTE HAD BEEN PROMISED BUT HAD NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED. ONCE AGAIN OPREA REGISTERED HIS APPRECIATION OF NATURE OF ISSUE, AND PROMISED TO FOLLOW UP WITH MFA.

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